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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) | | Docket Number (Optional) 987P011 |
|  | In re Application of <u>Dwyer et al.</u> | |
| | Application Number <u>09/780,946</u> | Filed <u>02/09/01</u> |
| | For <u>System and Method for Permitting Maintenance of Privacy ...</u> | |
| | Group Art Unit | Examiner |

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$ _____ |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$ <u>1,960</u> |

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____.

☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☒ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-1039.

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest.

☐ applicant.

☒ attorney or agent of record.

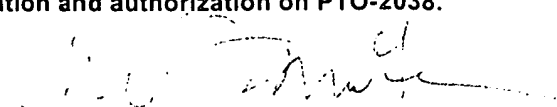
☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____.

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10/19/01

Date



Signature

Michael J. McGee, Reg. No. 43,789

Typed or printed name